

Sinclair Broadcasting is making a mockery of democracy and the concept of fair elections. They are airing a decidedly partisan piece of journalism right before the election in order to sway the electorate. They are propagating propaganda - this is the kind of thing ususally seen in a dictatorship. It's one thing to air something that criticizes John Kerry; but in this case they are airing something that most probably will distort the truth and play fast with the facts, ala the Swift Boat PR campaign.

This is the same company that would not run the "Nightline" episode when Ted Koppel read the names of the American war dead in Iraq. How can a company that puts its agenda ahead of the public good be trusted? The United States was founded on the concept of "of the people, by the people, and for the people," as Abraham Lincoln said. I am afraid to say that we are getting further and further away from that high ideal, an ideal that inspired the framers of the Constitution.